

PRESS RELEASE

The Chief Electoral Officer conducted a Video Conference meeting with all the District Election Officers / District Collectors and Commissioner, Greater Chennai Corporation on 04/10/2019 to review the progress on Electors Verification Programme (EVP). During the meeting, the Chief Electoral Officer has pointed out that so far 34,73,864 electors have verified/authenticated their details i.e. through NVSP 21421, Voter help line Mobile App 1158518, Common Service Centres (CSC) 87192, 1950 (only for PwD electors and Senior Citizens) 103464 and Voters Facilitation Centres 2103269,

2. The Chief Electoral Officer suggested that the services of Women Self Help Group/Integrated Child Development Service (ICDS) workers can be utilized for this programme. Further he instructed the District Election Officers to develop a strategy/Action plan and function accordingly so that this programme is utilised to the fullest so that more and more electors come forward to verify/authenticate their details to achieve the 100% estimated target.

3. Since the Electors Verification Programme (EVP) ends on 15.10.2019, Electors are requested to come forward and avail this opportunity to verify/authenticate their details in the Electoral Roll.

4. The Chief Electoral Officer also reviewed the electoral preparedness for the ensuing Bye Elections to TNLA, 2019 from 75. Vikravandi and 227. Nanguneri Assembly Constituencies with the DEOs, Superintendents of Police and Returning Officers of Villupuram and Tirunelveli Districts. Thiru. S.N. Seshasayee, I.P.S., Inspector General of Police (Welfare) and Thiru. Arun Sayta, Joint Commissioner, Prohibition and Excise also took part in the poll preparedness meeting held today i.e. 04.10.2019.

**CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER
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